# BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION COMMISSION SECRETARIAT

2000 SEP 18 P 4: 12

| In the Matter of | · <b>)</b> | · |           |
|------------------|------------|---|-----------|
|                  | ) MUR 5027 |   | CENCITIVE |
| Mark Nichols     | )          | • | SENSITIVE |

#### **GENERAL COUNSEL'S REPORT #3**

#### I. ACTIONS RECOMMENDED

Approve the attached revised conciliation agreement.

#### II. BACKGROUND

On June 9, 2000, the Commission found reason to believe that Mark Nichols knowingly and willfully violated 2 U.S.C. § 441f. Notification of the Commission's finding and a proposed conciliation agreement were mailed to the respondent's counsel on June 14, 2000,

Based on the foregoing, it is the recommendation of this Office that the Commission approve the attached revised agreement.

#### III. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. Approve the attached revised Conciliation Agreement with Mark Nichols.
- 2. Approve the appropriate letter.

Lawrence M. Noble General Counsel

9/15/00

BY:

Lois G./Lerner

Associate General Counsel

#### Attachments:

- 1. Letter from Stanley Greenberg
- 2. Revised Conciliation Agreement



### FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20463

## **MEMORANDUM** TO: Office of the Commission Secretary FROM: Office of General Counsel **September 18, 2000** DATE: MUR 5027- General Counsel's Report #3 SUBJECT: The attached is submitted as an Agenda document for the Commission Meeting of \_\_\_\_\_ Open Session \_\_\_\_\_ Closed Session CIRCULATIONS DISTRIBUTION **SENSITIVE NON-SENSITIVE** X COMPLIANCE **72 Hour TALLY VOTE** 冈 **Open/Closed Letters** MUR **24 Hour TALLY VOTE DSP** 24 Hour NO OBJECTION **STATUS SHEETS Enforcement INFORMATION** Litigation **PFESP RATING SHEETS AUDIT MATTERS LITIGATION ADVISORY OPINIONS REGULATIONS**

**OTHER**